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 ACCESSION NUMBER: 1992:22332064 BIOTECHNO
 TITLE: Characterization of adhesion molecules on human
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AB In multiple myeloma, malignant plasma cells are
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 investigate the role of adhesion proteins in this process, we determined
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 $\alpha .sub.3$ integrin on 15% to 20% cells. In contrast, all lines lacked
 cell surface $\alpha 2$, $\alpha 5$, and $\alpha 6$ integrin expression (<5%
 positive). These cell lines adhered to fibronectin (20% to 40% specific
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 Adhesion of these cell lines to fibronectin was partially blocked with
 either anti- $\beta 1$ integrin monoclonal antibody (MoAb) (75% inhibition),
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994121051 ESBIOBASE
TITLE: Cell surface expression and functional significance of
adhesion molecules on human myeloma-derived cell lines
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ACCESSION NUMBER: 1994:24296388 BIOTECHNO
TITLE: Primary tumor cells of myeloma patients induce
interleukin-6 secretion in long-term bone marrow
cultures
AUTHOR: Lokhorst H.M.; Lamme T.; De Smet M.; Klein S.; De
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AB Long-term bone marrow cultures (LTBMC) from patients with multiple myeloma (MM) and normal donors were analyzed for immunophenotype and cytokine production. Both LTBMC adherent cells from myeloma and normal donor origin expressed CD10, CD13, the adhesion molecules CD44, CD54, vascular cell adhesion molecule 1, very late antigen 2 (VLA-2), and VLA-5, and were positive for extracellular matrix components fibronectin, laminin, and collagen types 3 and 4. LTBMC from myeloma patients and normal donors spontaneously secreted interleukin-6 (IL-6). However, levels of IL-6 correlated with the stage of disease; highest levels of IL-6 were found in LTBMC from patients with active myeloma. To identify the origin of IL-6 production, LTBMC from MM patients and normal donors were cocultured with BM- derived myeloma cells and cells from myeloma cell lines. IL-6 was induced by plasma cell lines that adhered to LTBMC such as ARH-77 and RPMI-8226, but not by nonadhering cell lines U266 and FRAVEL. Myeloma cells strongly stimulated IL-6 secretion in cocultures with LTBMC adherent cells from normal donors and myeloma patients. When direct cellular contact between LTBMC and plasma cells was prevented by tissue-culture inserts, no IL-6 production was induced. This implies that intimate cell-cell contact is a prerequisite for IL-6 induction. Binding of purified myeloma cells to LTBMC adherent cells was partly inhibited by monoclonal antibodies against adhesion molecules VLA-4, CD44, and lymphocyte function-associated antigen 1 (LFA-1) present on the plasma cell. Antibodies against VLA-4, CD29, and LFA-1 also inhibited the induced IL-6 secretion in plasma cell-LTBMC cocultures. In situ hybridization studies performed before and after coculture with plasma cells indicated that LTBMC adherent cells produce the IL-6. These results suggest that the high levels of IL-6 found in LTBMC of MM patients with active disease are a reflection of their previous contact with tumor cells in vivo. These results provide a new perspective on tumor growth in MM and emphasize the importance of plasma cell-LTBMC interaction in the pathophysiology of MM.

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ACCESSION NUMBER: AAA11701 DNA DGENE

TITLE: Treating multiple myeloma and myeloma-induced bone reabsorption using antagonists of the alpha4/alpha4 integrin ligand pathway -

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DESCRIPTION: Murine VCAM-1 5' PCR primer.

AB This invention describes novel methods for treating multiple myeloma and myeloma-induced bone reabsorptions, comprising using integrin antagonists to disrupt the alpha4 integrin/alpha4 integrin ligand pathway in vivo to reduce the capacity of the myeloma cells to survive and proliferate. The products of the invention have cytostatic and osteopathic activity. The antagonists inhibit the binding of alpha4 integrin and alpha4 integrin ligands which reduces the capacity of myeloma cells to proliferate and survive. The methods may be used for treating multiple myeloma, inhibiting the release of bone-reabsorbing factors by myeloma cells (which result in severe bone loss, the major side effect of myeloma in humans) and other disorders associated with osteoclastogenesis. This sequence represents a PCR primer used in the amplification of the murine VCAM-1 gene which is used to illustrate the method of the invention.

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